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15. (Unclassified - GLC) Left with Senator Mike Mansfield's (D., Mont.) office a number of FBIS clips containing portions of a speech by Sihanouk referring to the Senator's recent visit with him.

16. (Secret - GLC) In the absence of James Gehrig, I briefed William Parker, on the Senate Space Committee staff, on the recent Soviet lunar attempt which failed.

17. (Secret - GLC) Met with Mr. George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, and reviewed with him some of the information which we have on the recent ChiCom tests. I also talked further with Murphy about the [redacted] case. It is obvious that Murphy has very good sources of information on this case. 25X1C

18. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Harriet Robnett, in the office of Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.), asked if I could stop by tomorrow to discuss further correspondence they have received from [redacted] 25X1A
[redacted] who has complained about the Agency's employment procedures.

19. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Miss Mary Matthews, Legislative Assistant to Representative George Bush (R., Texas), called to ask if a knowledgeable Agency representative could meet tomorrow with the father of the wife of Major Richard H. Pearce (who had flown to Cuba in May 1967 with his five year old son). She said that Mr. Bush had met with the Director on this subject in the past. After determining from [redacted] that we 25X1A
no current or complete information on this, I suggested to Miss Matthews that she call Assistant Secretary Meyer's office since the problem was within his jurisdiction and that any information we might have would be in State's hands. 25X1A

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Wednesday - 17 September 1969

1. (Unclassified - GLC) Left with Mr. Larry Conrad, on the staff of Senator Birch Bayh's (D., Ind.) Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments, a new paper containing a revision of Senator Ervin's proposed amendments to S. 700. This new paper includes explanations of our revisions.

2. (Secret - GLC) Met with George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, and provided him with the FBIS book containing a recent speech by Marshal Krylov and I briefed Murphy on the Soviet FOBs test of 15 September. 25X1C

Murphy renewed his request for information on the knowledge

I talked with Murphy about our proposed response to Ed Bauser's letter for a security review on the Committee's document having to do with the chronology of the development of the H bomb. Murphy felt that an answer along the lines which we proposed would be satisfactory.

3. (Internal Use Only - JGO) I delivered to Mrs. Innis McDonald, secretary to Mr. Ralph Marshall, House Armed Services Committee staff, an unclassified blind memorandum dated 15 September 1969 entitled "Soviet Airborne and Control Aircraft (AWAC)." This paper was provided in response to a request by Mr. Marshall for Representative Richard Ichord (D., Mo.) after the Director's briefing of the House Armed Services Committee on 29 July.

4. (Secret - JGO) I met with Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, concerning the transcripts of Agency briefings that are held by the Committee. These transcripts are being collected from the various Committee offices for transmittal to the Agency for safekeeping. Mrs. McLaughlin will call me when they have been collected.

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Friday - 12 September 1969

1. (Secret - JMM) Accompanied [] OSI, to brief Representative Richard McCarthy on Soviet CW/BW. See Memo for Record for details. Mr. McCarthy was most appreciative and spoke especially highly of the Agency approach to these problems. 25X1A

2. (Secret - JMM) [] General Counsel of NSA, called to say he and some of his colleagues will definitely be called to testify before the Symington Subcommittee of Senate Foreign Relations Committee on NSA's overseas activities, beginning the end of this month. [] is concerned that he might be questioned on what U.S. agencies are responsible for [] agreements with foreign countries, and he would like our guidance on how NSA witnesses should respond if queried on this point. I told him I would be back in touch with him shortly. 25X1A

3. (Confidential - GLC) George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called on several items. He asked if we could locate a copy of the article written by Marshal Krylov on Soviet missile forces which was referred to in Beecher's column in the New York Times this morning. 25X1C

Mr. Murphy said he would like to have a briefing on "relatively short notice" on the individual who was tied in with the case. Murphy said he would like to know what this man said to help us out and the degree of his knowledgeability of information compromised by []

[] After looking into this, I advised Murphy that I was unable to give him any information in response to this request. I added, however, that information concerning the material compromised by [] should be obtained through NATO and Military channels. (Mr. Maury had previously advised him along these same lines.) Murphy said he had considerable information about this individual and would like to talk with me about it next week. 25X1C

Mr. Murphy said that, while he would prefer to defer any briefing of the Joint Committee by the Director until after the first of the year, Captain Bauser had mentioned the possibility of their asking for a briefing sometime soon. There is nothing definite on this but Murphy wanted to let me know that this was being discussed.

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5. (Unclassified - GLC) Winston Bryant, Legislative Assistant to Senator John L. McClellan (D., Ark.), called and asked about the status of the amendments to S. 782 which Senator Ervin had suggested. I advised Bryant that we had worked on these amendments and that they were now in a form which would be acceptable both to NSA and ourselves. I also indicated that we had been in touch with the FBI on these and that the Bureau was holding to its position of requesting a complete exemption from the bill. I explained to Bryant that while we felt a full exemption was a clearer and better approach we could live with the amendments as we had resubmitted them to Larry Conrad. Bryant said that Senator McClellan wanted to help Senator Ervin get the bill out but only if full exemption were granted the FBI, NSA, and ourselves.

6. (Confidential - GLC) I reminded George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, of the ChiCom preparations for a nuclear test and added that this could happen most any time now.

Murphy took this opportunity to take up the [redacted] case and asked if I would check to see if there was any further information on the extent of information that had been compromised. I told Murphy I would look into it. 25X1C

7. (Confidential - GLC) Met with Homer Lee Krout, Administrative Assistant to Representative Joel T. Broyhill (R., Va.), to discuss the case of [redacted] I briefed Krout on the background of this case and advised him as to the action the Agency proposed to take. Krout has no problem with this whatsoever and I told him that we would be responding formally to Mr. Broyhill's letter in the next few days. (See Memo for the Record for details.) 25X1A

8. (Unclassified - LLM) Returned the call of Mrs. Dorothy Brown, in the office of Senator Jennings Randolph (D., W. Va.), and, based upon the advice of the Office of Personnel, told her that we had no record of employment on a [redacted] about 46 or 47 years of age. Mrs. Brown contacted us apparently as a last straw after failing to obtain usable information from any other agency and wanted to exert every effort on behalf of subjects family which is faced with a personal problem. 25X1A

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